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## **AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

 (currently amended) A method of using a print device, comprising the steps of: carrying out a specified task at a print device;

determining, by the print device, whether the specified task was carried out successfully by the print device; and

generating an email confirmation, automatically by the print device, including an indication of success or failure of said carried out task at said print device;

wherein said step of carrying out a specified task includes rendering image data at said print device; and

wherein said email confirmation includes a thumbnail image associated with said rendered image data upon a successful rendering of said image data, and said email confirmation does not include a thumbnail image associated with said rendered image data upon an unsuccessful rendering of said image data.

- 2. (canceled)
- 3. (currently amended) The method of claim  $2 ext{ 1}$ , wherein said rendered image data corresponds to one of a scan to network job and a fax job.
- 4. (original) The method of claim 1, wherein said email confirmation relates to a scan to network job.
- 5. (original) The method of claim 4, wherein said email confirmation includes upon said failure at least one of a primary SMTP gateway IP address; a connection failure, and number of connection tries; and a mail server response.
- 6. (original) The method of claim 1, wherein said email confirmation relates to a fax job.

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- 7. (original) The method of claim 6, wherein said email confirmation includes upon said failure at least one of a connection failure, and number of connection tries; date; station name; and station number.
- 8. (canceled)
- 9. (currently amended) The method of claim 2 1, wherein said email confirmation includes an attachment.
- 10. (original) The method of claim 9, wherein said email confirmation includes a thumbnail image of said attachment.
- 11. (original) The method of claim 9, wherein said email confirmation includes a thumbnail image of said attachment upon a successful rendering of said image data, and said email confirmation does not include a thumbnail image of said attachment upon an unsuccessful rendering of said image data.
- 12. (original) The method of claim 9, wherein said email confirmation comprises information relating to said attachment, including at least one of a file name, data format, and rendered image resolution.
- 13. (original) The method of claim 1, wherein said generating step includes the substep of transmitting said email confirmation over a network.
- 14. (original) The method of claim 13, wherein said transmitting step includes transmitting said email confirmation over a network using one of said print device and a computer attached to said network.

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- 15. (original) The method of claim, 1 wherein said print device is part of a multifunction machine.
- 16. (original) A method of using a print device, comprising the steps of:
  carrying out a specified task at a print device; and
  generating an email confirmation including an indication of success or failure of
  said carried out task at said print device, said email confirmation including a thumbnail
  image associated with said specified task upon successfully carrying out said specified
  task, and said email confirmation not including a thumbnail image associated with said
  specified task upon unsuccessfully carrying out said specified task.
- 17. (original) The method of claim 16, wherein said step of carrying out a specified task includes rendering image data at said print device.
- 18. (original) The method of claim 17, wherein said rendered image data corresponds to one of a scan to network job and a fax job.
- 19. (original) The method of claim 17, wherein said email confirmation includes a thumbnail image associated with said rendered image data upon a successful rendering of said image data, and said email confirmation does not include a thumbnail image associated with said rendered image data upon an unsuccessful rendering of said image data.
- 20. (original) The method of claim 16, wherein said email confirmation includes an attachment.
- 21. (original) The method of claim 16, wherein said generating step includes the substep of transmitting said email confirmation over a network.

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- 22. (original) The method of claim 21, wherein said transmitting step includes transmitting said email confirmation over a network using one of said print device and a computer attached to said network.
- 23. (original) The method of claim, 16 wherein said print device is part of a multifunction machine.
- 24. (currently amended) A method of using a print device, comprising the steps of: carrying out a specified task at a print device:

determining, by the print device, whether the specified task was carried out successfully by the print device; and

generating an email confirmation at <u>by</u> said print device, said email confirmation including information pertaining to said specified task;

wherein said email confirmation includes a thumbnail image associated with the specified task.

- 25. (original) The method of claim 24, wherein said email confirmation includes an indication of success or failure of said specified task.
- 26. (original) The method of claim 24, wherein said step of carrying out a specified task includes rendering image data at said print device.
- 27. (original) The method of claim 26, wherein said rendered image data corresponds to one of a scan to network job and a fax job.
- 28. (canceled)
- 29. (original) The rhethod of claim 24, wherein said automatically generating step includes the substep of transmitting said email confirmation over a network.

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- 30. (original) The method of claim 29, wherein said transmitting step includes transmitting said email confirmation over a network using one of said print device and a computer attached to said network.
- 31. (original) The method of claim, 24 wherein said print device is part of a multifunction machine.
- 32. (canceled)
- 33. (canceled)
- 34. (new) A method of using a print device, comprising the steps of: carrying out a specified task at a print device; determining, by the print device, whether the specified task was carried out successfully by the print device; and

generating an email confirmation, automatically by the print device, including an indication of success or failure of said carried out task at said print device; wherein said email confirmation relates to a scan to network job.

35. (new) The method of claim 34, wherein said email confirmation includes upon said failure at least one of a primary SMTP gateway IP address; a connection failure, and number of connection tries; and a mail server response.